

REMARKS

Reconsideration and allowance of this application are respectfully requested in view of the foregoing amendments and the following explanations and remarks.

In paragraph 3 of the Office Action, claims 61 and 62 were rejected under the judicially created doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting as being unpatentable over claims 25 and 34 of applicant's prior U.S. Patent 6,643,355, and claims 1 and 11 of applicant's prior U.S. Patent 6,442,241.

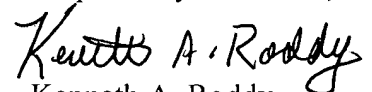
With regard to the judicially created doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting rejection, please enter the attached Terminal Disclaimer and requisite fee. The entry of the enclosed Terminal Disclaimer should remove applicant's prior U.S. Patents 6,442,241 and 6,643,355 as a reference in the obviousness-type double patenting rejection.

Accordingly, in view of the foregoing explanations and remarks it is respectfully requested that claims 61 and 62 be allowed, and that this application be passed to issue.

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